

District of Columbia.
County of Alexandria, to wit: 1818.
November Term.
IN CHANCERY.
James Sanderson, Complainant,
vs.
Catherine F. McCall, and John Creighton,
William Gillham, the two last under
firm of John Creighton & Company,
Defendants.

Defendant Catherine F. McCall not
having entered her appearance and gi-
ven security according to the statute and the
of this court, and it appearing to the
of the court, on affidavit, that
the said defendant, Catherine F. McCall,
an inhabitant of this District—on mo-
tion of the said complainant, by his counsel,
ordered, That the said defendant, Ca-
therine F. McCall, do appear here on the
day of the next Term, and enter her
appearance to the suit, and give security
for the decrees of the court, and for
the other defendants, John Creighton
& Company, do not pay away, convey or
state or effects in their hands belong-
ing to the said absent defendant Catherine
McCall, until the further order or de-
cision of this court; and that a copy of this
be forthwith published for two months
successively in one of the public newspa-
pers published in this county; and that a no-
tice be posted at the front door of the
house of the said county.

A copy.
EDMUND I. LEE, C. C.
February 25
PROPOSALS
BY JOSEPH M. SANDERSON,
for publishing by subscription,
BIOGRAPHY OF THE SIGNERS
TO THE
Declaration of Independence,
ACCOMPANIED WITH PLATES;
which will be annexed a history of the
proceedings of congress during the pas-
sage of the law, and the Declaration it-
self, with fac-simile engravings of the
signatures.

By PAUL ALLEN, Esq.

TO THE PUBLIC.
seems a little surprising that amongst
so many subjects as have been present-
ed to the American Biography, the lives of
the who have affixed their signatures to
the Declaration of Independence have been
looked over and disregarded. The eyes of
the people have dwelt with rapture upon the
men that announced to the world that
these United Colonies were, and of right
ought to be, free, sovereign, and indepen-
dent states; while we are better acquainted
with the handwriting than with the char-
acters of many of those illustrious men
have added their signatures to that im-
mortal document. The founders of the only
republic on the globe, have, with their
splendid exceptions, gone to their
rest, and it behooves a generous posterity,
in discharge of its obligations, to preserve
their fame. The longer we neglect the
memory of so sacred a debt, the more diffi-
cult does the payment become.—Traits of
individual character are fugitive and evan-
escent; and if they are not snatched by the
hand of the Biographer, at an ear-
ly season, from the cold grasp of death, will
in partake of the oblivion of the body.—
It is not the object of the present attempt,
deal in that profusion of indiscriminate
unsparing panegyric, so often and so
readily dignified with the name of Biogra-
phy; we wish to represent the characters
as they were; they stand in need of no pa-
nyric; and we earnestly solicit from the
living relations and friends of those re-
volutionary patriots all the information that
tend to a development of character.
It is the creature of circumstance, and
wish to show the progress of those pas-
sions from their first resistance of colonial
oppression, until they stood forth the noble
undaunted champions of their country's
freedom. All this can only be done
by a familiar acquaintance with the lives of
these men, and whoever of the surviving
friends or relatives will furnish facts and
circumstances in their possession to unfold
illustrate their characters, shall be en-
dowed to a copy of the work as a recom-
pense. It is contemplated, wherever it is
possible, further to embellish the medi-
cal work with correct likenesses of the
subjects of our biography, executed by the
best eminent artists in the country. For
this purpose we again solicit the assistance
of their surviving relatives and friends. If
any will transmit to the publisher any en-
graving or portrait from which a copy may
be taken, the original shall be faithfully re-
turned, and shall likewise be remunerated
with a copy of the work. In the first num-
ber it is proposed to give an account of the
Declaration of Independence, from the first
draft that was made on the floor of con-
gress until its final passage into a law, a pe-
riod embracing much curious and secret
history; finally, we promise to add to our
number the Declaration of Independence
itself, with fac-simile engravings of
signatures. We have now completed the
outline of the objects of our present un-
dertaking, and we hope that it will be un-
necessary to mention that no exertions on
our part shall be spared.

The public are now in possession of our
work, which does indeed seem to be de-
manded, by the avidity so recently display-
ed for the possession of the Declaration of
Independence, since it is of very little im-
port to become acquainted with a man's
life and writing without a previous knowledge
of the man. The secret history of our De-
claration of Independence, the lives of those
who have affixed their signatures to that in-
strument, accompanied by their likenesses,
and finally the Declaration itself with fac-
simile of the signatures, will bring into one
compact view the prominent facts of that
interesting crisis.

CONDITIONS.
1. The work will be published in num-
bers, or half volumes, of 150 pages octavo,
and will be contained in ten numbers.
2. It will be printed on fine paper made
expressly for the purpose, and delivered to
subscribers at two dollars and fifty cents per
volume or number, payable on deliv-
ery.

Subscriptions will be received at the
office of the Alexandria Gazette.
December 29

Alexandria Gazette & Daily Advertiser.

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FRIDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 19, 1819.

[No. 5466.]

For New-York.
The schooner SALLY & POLLY,
Chas. Travers, master, carries 600
barrels, and will be ready to take a cargo
on board in four days. Apply to
LAWRASON & FOWLE.
February 17

For Sale,
A small schooner, well calculated
for the approaching fishing season.
Also,
Four casks real Bridport seine twine, with
a general assortment of rope, tar, boards,
scantling, shingles, &c. &c.
JOSIAH HEWES DAVIS.
February 15

For Mobile,
The sloop CYNTHIA, to sail in
three days. Two or four passengers
can be accommodated. Inquire at Vowell's
wharf.
E. CORNING.
February 12

Wanted Immediately.
Wanted to freight or charter, a
vessel to take 403 bls. to Mobile.
Owners or masters of vessels may apply at
the Indian Queen Hotel, Alexandria.
February 5

Liverpool Salt and Coal.
FOR SALE, the cargo of the ship Ha-
zard, W. Grabtree, jr. master, from
Liverpool, of salt and coal. Apply to
LAWRASON & FOWLE.
February 5

For Freight,
The ship HAZARD, burthen 3800
bbls. is in complete order and ready
to load as soon as her present cargo can be
discharged. Apply as above.
January 19

For Freight,
The sloop ALBERT, capt. Smith,
carries about 450 barrels, an excel-
lent vessel, and will take freight for any
southern port. Apply to
LAWRASON & FOWLE.
January 14

Spirits, Sugar, &c.
A FEW puncheons of superior quality
Antigua and Jamaica spirits
Superfine Barbados sugar, in bbls
Jamaica pimento
Also, a parcel of cocoa nuts—for sale
on liberal terms at No. 99 Union-st.
N. REILLY.
September 30

Sales at Vendue.
In every day and Friday
WILL BE SOLD,
At the Vendue Store, corner of Prince and
Water streets,
Dry Goods, Groceries, &c.
Particulars of which will be expressed in
the bills of the day.

All kinds of goods which are on li-
mitation, and the prices of which are estab-
lished, can at any time be viewed and pur-
chased at the lowest limitation prices.
January P. G. MARSTELLER.

Robert Gray
HAS just received on consignment, for
sale,
Walker's octavo Dictionary, stereotype
edition
Virgil, Cicero, Sallust and Horace Dal-
phin.
Clark's Caesar; Ainsworth's Dictionary
Taylor's Enquiry into the Principles and
Policy of the Government of the U. States
Taylor's Arator, being a Series of Agri-
cultural Essays, Practical and Political
School Testament, fine and coarse
Doctor Watts' large and small Catechism
Preservation from the sins
and follies of Childhood and Youth
A few copies O'Neil's Geography
Dwight's Geography
1 copy Morse's Universal Geography oc-
tavo.
February 5

PREMIUMS offered by the Agricultural
Society of Virginia, for the year 1819.—
1. A premium of fifty dollars value, for
the best essay on the general management
of a Virginia farm, founded on practical
experience or observation, and combining
a good rotation, with the management of
live stock, the accumulation of manure, and
other objects pertaining to the business of
a farm.

2. A premium of forty dollars value, for
the best rotation of crops, embracing corn,
wheat and clover.

3. A premium of fifty dollars value, for
the best rotation of crops, embracing corn,
wheat, clover and tobacco.

4. A premium of fifty dollars value, will be
given for the best essay founded on actual
experience on each of the subjects follow-
ing, to wit:

1. The best and most economical mode
of furnishing food for such cows, stock cat-
tle, sheep and hogs, from the 1st of March
to the 15th of May.

2. On the best and most economical mode
of raising and sustaining horses.

3. On the best and most economical mode
of sustaining cattle, sheep and hogs, during
the year.

4. To the person who shall make the
greatest quantity of corn upon ten acres of
land in one body, in the year 1819, to be
supported by the certificate or affidavit of
three disinterested freeholders, and furnis-
hed to the Society previously to the meeting
in December next.

By a standing rule of the Society, it is
ordered, "that the names of parties con-
tending for premiums shall not be made
known, (except to the Secretary,) unless
the prize or prizes be adjudged to them."
JOHN ADAMS, Sec'y.

English & German Almanacs For 1819,

WITH a large and general stock of
school books and stationery, suitable
for the country trade, for sale by
JOHN A. STEWART.

This day is published,
AND for sale at the bookstore of
JAMES KENNEDY & SON,
**The Controversy between M.
B. & Quere,**
which appeared in the Alexandria newspa-
pers in the year 1817, on some points of
ROMAN CATHOLICISM:
To which is added AN APPENDIX, con-
taining a brief notice of Luther's In-
dulgences—of the Inquisition—and of
the Order of the Jesuits.
BY A PROTESTANT.
Price in boards one dollar Sept 3

PRINTING,
IN
All its various branches.
AT
S. H. DAVIS'S
PRINTING-OFFICE,
PRINTER'S ALLEY,
In the rear of W. F. Thompson's druggist store,
Fairfax-street,
ALEXANDRIA.

Liverpool Salt.
TWO THOUSAND bushels coarse Li-
verpool salt, the cargo of the sloop A
lent, for sale by LAWRASON & FOWLE.
Who have just received 100 boxes fresh
raising.
January 13

Books and Stationery.
ROBERT GRAY has just received for
sale on commission, an invoice of
Books and Stationery, among which are
the following articles, viz:
Sir Robert Wilson's sketch of the mili-
tary and political power of Russia
Phillips's speeches; Shey's bookkeeping
Say's catechism of political economy
Manners & customs; Accidents of life
Bennett's letters; history of the late war
Volney's Ruins; Brownie of Bodsbeck
The Sisters; Pope's Essay on Man
Tales of my Landlord; Taylor's Inquiry
Travels at home; Domestic Medicine
Debates of the Virginia Convention, on
the adoption of the Federal Constitution.
Wright's Life of Christ and his apostles
Bonnet boards by the gross, dozen or sin-
gle; superfine vellum cap writing paper
August 23

New Books.
Just received on consignment, and for sale
by the subscriber.
TALES of my landlord, second series
New tales, by Mrs. Ope
Zion's Pilgrim, by Robert Hawker, D. D
Events of the French Revolution, by the
baroness de Stael; O'Reilly's Greenland
Johnson's quarto dictionary, vol. 1
Taylor's Arator, 4th edition
Raffie's tour on the continent
Village sermons; Olive-Branch
Dwight's geography for schools, in which
Europe is divided according to the late act
of the congress of Vienna. Also,
A few copies of Bible News or Sacred
Truths relating to the Living God, his only
Son, and Holy Spirit, by Noah Worcester,
A. M.
ROBERT GRAY.
Oct 16

Romulus Riggs's
EXCHANGE BANKING HOUSE,
AND
BROKER'S OFFICE,
Bridge-street, Georgetown.

THIS is intended as a permanent estab-
lishment, and the community will find
it one of the greatest conveniences in the
United States, and of great public utility.
At this house the fair exchange on the dif-
ferent bank notes from every part of the union
can at all times be had: It is to be hoped
that, by the operations of this office, the
community will get rid of a host of Shocks,
Shavers, Secret and Ruining Brokers, who
infest the District, frequently proclaiming
the failure of country solvent banks, for the
express purpose of purchasing the notes of
such institutions at great discounts. Busi-
ness under the following heads will be trans-
acted. This establishment possesses funds to
negotiate for any amount, and all busi-
ness done for cash.

1st. All bank checks, bills at sight, post
notes not due, and bank notes from all parts
of the United States, bought and sold.

2d. All notes, bills of exchange, divi-
dends and interests, collected and remitted
according to orders.

3d. The notes of the United States' bank
and all of its branches received at par.

4th. Strangers, money for safe keeping—
and left for thirty days, or longer, will
receive at the rate of six per cent. per an-
num for the same.

5th. All business in the line of a money
broker promptly attended to for a small
commission.

6th. All southern and western traders,
bringing to the district large sums of south-
ern and western bank notes, can deposit
for safe keeping, and draw for the same as
may suit their convenience.

7th. Prompt attention paid to the orders
of all respectable brokers and exchange of-
fices throughout the United States—who
will please to favor me occasionally with
their rates of exchange on bank notes and
bills.
Georgetown, Dec. 9

Piano Fortes.
TWO elegant fine toned Piano Fortes,
with the additional keys, for sale by
JAS. KENNEDY & SON.

The Gentleman's
ANNUAL POCKET REMEMBRANCE
For 1819,
CONTAINING—The Almanac; ruled
pages for memoranda; duties pay-
able on goods, &c.; naval and custom house
officers; public appraisers; information
concerning patents; post office establish-
ment; official army and navy lists; a cor-
rect register of the American navy; marine
corps; government of the U. States, exe-
cutive, legislative and judiciary; territorial
governments; intercourse with foreign na-
tions; directors and cashiers of the bank of
the U. States, &c. &c.

THE LADY'S POCKET-BOOK for 1819,
Containing—The Almanac; ruled pages
for memoranda; description of Pileatini's
island; bishop Watson's letter on a future
state; remarks on female dress and on mar-
riage; morality of the Bible; account of
the Cherokee schools. *Selected Poetry*
—Answers to last year's enigmas; char-
ades; new and fashionable songs; rebus-
es. New country dances and waltzes; mar-
keting tables; tables reducing shillings and
pence to cents; also for showing the value
of dollars in pounds, shillings and pence—
Are just received for sale by
JAMES KENNEDY & SON.
November 24

Engineer Department,
Washington, Dec. 2, 1818.
SEALED proposals will be received, at
this department until 28th February,
1819, for delivering at Old Point Comfort,
Chesapeake Bay, 30,000 perches of Building
Stone, and 2000 tons of White Free
Stone, of the most durable quality: to be
delivered before the first day of January,
1821. (Signed) W. K. ARMISTEAD,
Lieut. Col. Commandant Engineers.
December 5

Spermaceti Candles, &c.
JUST RECEIVED,
33 boxes Rodman's sperm. candles
20 muscatel raisins
20 blum do
30 bls apples—(Newtown pippins)
Men's coarse and fine shoes
Women's shoes and slippers
Boys' and children's shoes
In store,
1500 bushels Albany oats
Together with a general assortment of
groceries. S. & T. PLUMMER.
December 15

Lawrason & Fowle
HAVE FOR SALE,
100 pieces Russia duck
220 heavy and light Ravens do
120 white and brown sheepings
200 diaper; 100 do crash
50 chests young hyson tea, of the Clo-
thier and Benjamin Rush's cargo
20 pipes Holland gin, superior quality
20 French and Spanish brandy
10 puncheons windward island rum
8 pipes old Sicily Madeira wine
Pipes, half pipes, quarter, and half
quarter casks Superior Old Madeira and
Malmsey wine, from the house of Keers &
Co. (2d to 20d
400 casks cut nails, assorted sizes, from
150 boxes wood candles, super. quality
400 brown soap
20 barrels spern oil
Boston and Chelmsford window glass,
of all sizes
Bales of balfas, mamoodies and flag
handkerchiefs
150 crates assorted Liverpool ware
80 barrels mackerel, in wh. & hf. bbls.
30 boxes soft shelled almonds
December 11

Mechanics' Bank of Alex'a.
December 5, 1818.

THE Stockholders of the Mechanics'
Bank of Alexandria are hereby noti-
fied that one quarter of the seventh instal-
ment is called for to this institution, pay-
able at the Bank on the 19th January next,
one quarter on the 19th of February, and
one half of the eighth instalment on the 19th
of March next. By order of the Board,
Dec 7 P. H. MINER, Cashier.

Exchange & Broker's Office;
Georgetown, District of Columbia.
ROMULUS RIGGS.

AT his office, next door below Cra-
w's tavern, Bridge-st. Georgetown,
will exchange all kinds of Bank Notes on
the most reasonable terms.—All persons
who may have notes on the banks of North
Carolina, South Carolina, and Georgia,
would do well to call on him, as he is
largely in the purchase of that kind of mo-
ney, and will take it on the most reasona-
ble terms.—Persons travelling to the West-
ern Country may at all times get the Bank
Notes of the Western Banks at a fair dis-
count, by calling at this Office. For the in-
formation of all persons throughout the U.
States, R. Riggs makes it known; that all
of the Banks of the District of Columbia
pay their notes on demand in specie; and
it would be much to the advantage of the
merchants, and trading to the South and
West, to encourage the circulation of the
Notes of the Banks of Georgetown, Wash-
ington and Alexandria, as it will at all
times answer for remittances to the large
commercial and Atlantic towns;—all per-
sons emigrating or travelling to the West-
ward should be very particular and take
the Notes of the Banks of the District of
Columbia, as they will find them the most
current, there being no counterfeits on the
District Banks. The Merchants' Bank of
Alexandria has long since failed.—all per-
sons should be on their guard, as they will
be imposed on.
August 18

Tobacco and Segars.
JUST received and for sale, first quality
Chewing Tobacco,
AND
Fine Flavored Spanish Segars.
Sept 29 W. E. DEVAUGHN.

Just Landing,
FROM brig Susan, from Portland, and
for sale at the cabinet warehouse, low-
end of Prince-street.
Carriages, Wagons, &c.
together with Furniture and Chairs, viz:
3 top carriages, with plated harness
14 Jersey wagons, with harness
Burgues; tables; sideboards
Dressing glasses; bedsteads; chairs
A few barrels No 1 mackerel
A general assortment of goods in his line
—comprising the best variety in the district
of Columbia; all of which will be sold low.
ON HAND,
Mahogany, in logs and boards.
Furniture, &c. made and repaired as
usual.
SAMUEL WARD.

Bank Notes.
1000 to 50,000 Dollars.

ROMULUS RIGGS,
At his Exchange and Brokers Office, Bridge-
street, Georgetown.
WISHES to purchase from one to fifty
thousand dollars of North Carolina,
South Carolina, and Georgia bank notes,
which will be taken at a very small dis-
count. All kinds of western and other un-
current bank notes exchanged on the low-
est terms.—Persons travelling to the west-
ward can at all times get the notes of these
banks at a reasonable discount.—Bills of
exchange and bank checks, negotiated on
any part of the United States.—Notes of
United States bank, and all of the branches,
exchanged.
Georgetown, one door below Cra-
wford's tavern, October 17.

I. HOITS
PRINTERS' WAREHOUSE,
NO. 32 BURLING-SLIP, NEW-YORK.

PRINTING TYPES, of all the kinds
manufactured in the United States; the
Columbian printing press; common do;
standing presses, various sizes; printing
ink, from the different factories, all kinds;
cast and wrought iron chases, from the su-
perior royal to the card chase; sheepskins;
luncheoners; job and book sticks, with
brass or iron slides; mahogany do; shears
spring steel points; common do; bod-
kins; saws; girdles; ball skins for news or
book work; ball stocks, do; ball nails;
wool; wool cards; capstickets; spuff-
ers; imposing stones, with frames, for one or two
forms; brass double and single rule; co-
lumn rules; parchment; fly brushes; dust,
proof and pick do; metal cuts of houses,
ships, steam-boats, and stages; cherry and
white wood cases; do for Greek, figure and
rule, flowers, and algebra; galleys of all
kinds; frames with or without slides; case
racks; swing troughs; wetting do; fur-
niture of all kinds; letter, press and paper
boards; mallets; shooting sticks; planers;
quoins; press blankets; page cord; blink
cards; *Printing, Writing and Letter Paper*,
of all kinds; together with ornaments and
other articles, all of the best quality.
A large assortment of second hand
type, of almost every description, for sale
as above, specimens of any font of which
will be forwarded to order.
Every kind of PRINTING and WRI-
TING PAPER, supplied at the manufac-
turer's price. October 8

Musical Tuition.
THE subscriber, at the solicitation of
many individuals, is induced to take
the house next door to Mr. Moore's Notary
office, Prince-street, where he will teach
Instrumental Music this winter. He assures
those who may patronize him, that his ut-
most efforts shall be exerted to give perfect
satisfaction. Subscription papers are left
at Mr. Gray's bookstore.
Dances will be taught on the Double or
Single Flageolet, and Music arranged and
neatly copied.
Oct 29 LIONEL J. LARKIN.

Gone to the Southward or
Westward,
A YELLOW WOMAN, called Celia,
a Detcher, in the 23d year of her age,
about 5 feet 2 or 3 inches high—marks like
mole on the right side of her face, which,
with several letters on her left arm, were
made with india ink. She is about four
months gone in a state of pregnancy—fol-
lowed her husband, Jim Clark, a yellow
man, who was purchased from this place
and taken away in company with a large
number of slaves, about two week ago, by
a man of the name of Basset. It is suppo-
sed they have gone to the westward: Celia
was born free, and had with her a notarial
certificate of her freedom, and description
of her person. Her mother, the subscriber,
is much afflicted by her manner of going a-
way, and desires that any humane people
who may chance to meet with her, will
persuade her to return, being apprehensive
that when she gets into a strange country,
where she will be unknown and out of the
reach of her friends and those who would
be likely to protect her, attempts may be
made by some avaricious and unprincipled
persons, to deprive her of her liberty, and
sell her for a slave. Should any such at-
tempts be made, fifty dollars reward will
be paid to any person who will communi-
cate such information as shall lead to the
conviction of the offenders, and the recovery
of the woman.
HANNAH DETCHER.
Alexandria, October 6, 1818.

To the Public.

A unusual sensibility has been excited
in the minds of our countrymen by the
copper plate engraving of the Declaration
of Independence recently published, ac-
companied by the signatures of the signa-
tures of those illustrious patriots who framed the
document by which our independence was
announced to the world. We feel, while
we dwell on those signatures, as if we were
usherred into the immediate presence of
characters so exalted, and we seem for a
time to participate in all the emotion which
they felt on the approach of so awful a cri-
sis—Hostile armies, desolate fields, towns
and cities in conflagration—carnage and
death in its most frightful forms appeared in
prophetic vision on the one hand, and more
than all, the complicated horrors, ignominy
and slavery were presented for their accep-
tance on the other; they deliberated,
they paused, they trembled, and at last so-
lemnly appealing to the God of battles,
they resolved that the United States were
and ought to be free, sovereign and inde-
pendent. These illustrious patriots, with
five solitary exceptions, have now mingled
with the common mould—they survive only
in their country's glory and in the recollec-
tion of a grateful people. But it would be
consoling to the present generation, ap-
peared as they now are from those patriots,
by the intervention of the tomb, to become
more intimately acquainted with their re-
volutionary benefactors. We live to dwell
on the features of such men, snatched by
the pencil from the oblivion of the grave,
and emulate the prominent traits of their
biography. Impressed with these ideas, the
subscriber proposes, if suitable encourage-
ment is given, to publish the lives of those
patriots in numbers, until the whole is com-
pleted. The work will be executed in a
style not inferior to any European produc-
tion, and the portraits by masters of ac-
knowledgeed merit. The biography will
be written by Paul Allen, Esq., whose inti-
macy with the several signers, whose fami-
liarity with the privations and hardships
they had undergone, and whose well known
talents will be sufficient to ensure the pa-
tronage of an enlightened people. In the
execution of this work, all that the pub-
lisher dares to promise is, that he will en-
deavor to deserve the confidence of his
countrymen, and that no exertion on his
part will be wanting to prevent an abuse
of that confidence. He ventures to solicit
the assistance of those gentlemen in pos-
session of authentic facts and anecdotes, by
communicating the intelligence that will
serve to illustrate the characters and to en-
rich the biography of those founders of the
American Republic.—Those who are in
possession of their portraits would enlarge
the obligation by a loan of the same.
A prospectus with the terms will be given
in a few days.

JOSEPH M. SANDERSON,
48, Market-street, Baltimore.
*Any printer who will publish this no-
tice and become responsible for five subscri-
bers, shall receive one copy of the work.
December 22

Laws of the District of Columbia.

In the press, and will shortly be published,
By DAVIS & FORCE,
IN THE CITY OF WASHINGTON,
"A COMPLETE CODE OF LAWS
FOR THE
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA."

With a copious Index, prepared and report-
ed by the Hon. chief Justice CATEN, to the
congress of the United States, for
their sanction; agreeably to the pro-
visions of the act of the 29th April, 1816,
entitled "an act authorising the judges
of the circuit court and the attorney for
the District of Columbia, to prepare a
code of jurisprudence for the said Dis-
trict."

The laws by which this District is now
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RHODOPHNE; OR THE THESALIAN SPELL.
This beautiful poem, written by a Virginian, has lately issued from the press. Had it been of transatlantic origin, and had been the "image and superscription" of some illustrious bard; had it had been circulated as a genuine coin from the intellectual mint of a Byron, Southey or Moore, it would have run with rapidity through the circles of fashion and literature, and have been admired as the production of no ordinary genius. But alas! it happens to be of native ore, and however pure and massive, it in reality may be—prejudice will still believe it spurious and base. How long shall we yield to this dishonoring infatuation? Have not our orators, statesmen and philosophers contended with the old world, and contended with success, for the palm of renown?—Why in the department of poetry alone, should nature be supposed to have doomed us to perpetual sterility? If no other proof could be afforded of the unfounded prejudice which exists against homebred exertions in this branch of literature, the poem under consideration would alone redeem the character of our country. It is an elegant and classical tale, borrowed from the splendid fictions of Grecian mythology, and distinguished by a strength and brilliancy which would do honor to any of those famed compositions, that in other climes have won the wreath of immortality. The story is as follows.

In the temple of love, situated in the city of Thessaly and ancient Boeotia, a splendid festival was celebrated every fifth year in honor of the presiding deity. Three statues, of stone, brass and marble, received the homage of the votive multitudes that assembled from every part of Greece, on the day of the festival. The most magical effects were ascribed to the vows and invocations made at the mysterious shrine, and offerings, which by other divinities were unaccepted, were sure to be successful with the all-pervading influence of love. Anthemion, a beautiful youth of Arcadia, brings his "simple wild flower offering" to implore the recovery of the beloved Calliope, pining under some strange and lingering disorder. He mingles with the throng at the altar, and "murmurs his suppliant vow"—but his flowery wreath suddenly withers and is blighted—at the same instant the brazen statue frowns upon him. He is filled with horror and despondency at the spectacle, and imagines that his Calliope is lost forever. A beautiful damsel is near and offers him consolation. She is Rhodophne, the Enchantress of Thessaly, who had herself fallen in love with the Arcadian youth, and was now encircling him by her irresistible spells. Unknown to Anthemion, she appears in the character of a beautiful mortalist, persuading him that the fair one should die, other nymphs might be found of equal perfection. She gives him another wreath for an offering, and upon it places one of her own, when they immediately unite and blend into one. She places in his bosom the enchanted rose, which she bids him keep until it fades, and they separate. Anthemion retires disconsolate to the myrtle shade and is accosted by an aged man who expels the fatal gift of the fair sorceress and warns him of its "mysterious virtue." He counsels him however as to the only means of dissolving the ungodly enchantment by which he is bound. He is to visit the sacred Plane Grove, consecrated to his natal genius, and in the stream which passes through it, throw the magic flower with his face averted. Anthemion does as he is directed, but after flinging the rose over his back into the stream, a sudden cry resembling the voice of a drowning nymph bursts from the wave; and fancying it the shriek of his dear Calliope, he unhappily turns as if to rush to her relief—but he finds every thing still as before. The unhappy youth shapes his steps to the Grove of the Muses, near the sacred Helicon, when he again meets the "magic maid of Thessaly." She questions him in a tone of tenderness about the laurel rose, chides him for throwing it away, and asserts it to be a harmless and innocent flower.

"In accents thrilling sweet" she declares her passion for him, and twining her golden tresses and lovely arms around his neck, imprints upon his lips a burning kiss, which she declares shall be "poison to all other lips but hers." Anthemion breaks from the arms of the Enchantress, and returns to his native Arcadia. To his astonishment, he finds his beloved Calliope, resorted to health and blooming with beauty. The deity of love had been propitious, when he thought the fading wreath denoted the reverse. The enraptured lovers repair to their "accustomed shade,"

and pour out the impassioned strains of mutual affection. Fatal interview! The fervent swain forgetful of the heretofore spell in which he is bound, presses his Calliope's lips. The beautiful maid sinks in the earth apparently lifeless, and Anthemion supposing the fatal kiss had destroyed her, dies in distraction. He wanders on the rugged shore of the Aegean Sea, and is spied by a crew of pirates by whom he is taken prisoner and carried on board their vessel. Shortly afterwards, another part of the crew capture a beautiful maid who is also brought on board and proves to be the tormenting Enchantress of Thessaly. Darkness covers the deep, and the damsel by her powers of magic raises a tremendous storm. The bark is driven far upon the raging surge, and plunges on a rock. Rhodophne twines her silken hair around the dismayed Anthemion, and bears him in safety to the Thracian shore. The syren again solicits his love, and is again repulsed—She takes him into a pathless moor, all waste and wild, where one dwelling alone, "a mossy mildewed cottage," is seen amidst the surrounding desolation. She suddenly disappears, and Anthemion is left to wander in the dreary waste, worn down by toil, thirst and hunger. The scene at length changes, and a splendid palace glittering with "myriad lights" and "gardens fair," salutes his eyes. He enters an illuminated hall, adorned by statues of kings and daimons. A brazen image of dwarfish shape, sitting on the highest throne, bids him welcome, and invites him to quaff the luxurious draught. "The nymph of more than earthly mien," the maid of Thessaly, suddenly appears, and plants in his bosom again the enchanted rose. She is clothed in light and silken vesture, and holds her lovely arms around the dizzy and trembling youth. He is overcome, and yields to the powerful fascination of her charms. While they live together sauntering through "bowers of jasmine and roses," in voluptuous indolence and pleasure, and amidst all the luxuries of sense, but the bleeding shade of Calliope still haunts the mournful Anthemion, and the Deity of love at length in compassion to his sufferings, pierces the bosom of the sorceress Rhodophne, with the arrow of death. The marble palace bursts asunder, the enchantment is dissolved—and the youth finds himself in his native grove with his dear Calliope. They are united and all is bliss.

Such is the fanciful story upon which this poem is founded, and although it certainly is not destitute of interest, especially to classical readers, yet it is to be regretted that the author's genius has not been attracted by those abundant resources, which are found in the history and scenery of our country. Most of our hardy have trodden in the beaten path of European writers, instead of exploring an original track, and thus establishing something like a national taste and sentiment. Our countryman J. K. Paulding, in a recent production of considerable merit, has become a willing pioneer in the new march which is proposed for American genius—and in his beautiful allusions to revolutionary incidents and characters, together with his glowing description of native scenery, has sufficiently indicated that immense and fertile region, whence future poets may borrow the materials of song. But to return to Rhodophne—a few selections may be uninteresting, but to form a just idea of the merit of the work it should be read entire. The description of Anthemion's person in the first canto, is very fine.

The flower of all Arcadia's youth
Was he; Such form and face in truth,
As thoughts of gentle maidens seek
In their day dreams—soft glossy hair
Shadow'd his forehead, snowy—fair,
With many a hyacinthine cluster;
Lips, that in silence seem'd to speak,
Were his; and eyes of mild blue lustre,
And even the paleness of his cheek,
The passing trace of tender care,
Still shew'd how beautiful it were,
If its own natural bloom were there.

There is hardly any passage in English poetry which possesses more life and beauty than the following picture of Rhodophne, on her first appearance to Anthemion:

Was it a form of mortal mould
That did his dazzled sense impress?
Even painful from its loveliness!
Her bright hair in the noon beams glow-ing.

A rose-bud wreath above confined,
From whence, as from a fountain flowing,
Long ringlets round her temples twined,
And fell in many a graceful fold,
Streaming in curls of feathery lightness
Around her neck's marvellous whiteness.
Love, in the smile that round her lips
Twined roses of persuasion play'd.

Nectaries of balmy sweets, than sips
The Hyacinthine Bee—his ambrosial food
And his own shafts on liquid fire
Came on the soft with sweet surprise,
Through the soft dew of young desire
That trembled in her large dark eyes;
But in those eyes that seemed to move
A flame almost too bright for love.

That shone with intermitting flashes
Beneath their long deep shadowy lashes.

Every one has admired the evening landscape of Gray, and the "solemn stillness," disturbed only by the "moping owl."—The same scene has been described by a hun-

dred poet, but perhaps none ever excelled the following lines, in the 2d canto. Anthemion has visited the grove of plain-tress by the direction of the reverend seer.

So light a breath was on the trees,
That rather like a spirit's sigh
Than motion of an earthly breeze,
Among the summits broad and high
Of those tall planes in whisp'ring stir'd;
And save that gentlest symphony
Of air and stream, no sound was heard,
But of the solitary bird.
That eye, at Summer evening's hour,
When moon save her own is none,
Attunes from her invisible power,
Her hymn in the descending sun.

When Rhodophne in the third canto, was about to imprint the fatal kiss on Anthemion's lips.

She gather'd up her glittering hair,
And round her neck its tresses threw,
And twined her arms of beauty rare
Around him; and the light curls drew
In closer bands—ethereal dew
Of love and young desire was swimming
In her bright eyes, albeit not dimming
Their starry radiance, rather bright'ning
Their beams with passion's liquid light-

ning.
She clasp'd him to her throbbing breast
And on his lips, her lips she press'd;
And cried the while
With joyous smile:

"These lips are mine: the spells have
won them
Which round and round thy seal I twine;
And be the kiss I print upon them
Poison to all lips but mine!"

In the darkness and horror of the tempest raised by the arts of the enchantress, as described in the fifth canto, the dismayed Anthemion

Looks upon her radiant form
Shining by the golden beams
Of her refulgent hair, that streams
Like waving star light on the storm;
And hears the vocal blast that rings
Among her lyre's enchanted strings.

The opening of the 6th canto is inimitably beautiful.

Hast thou, in some safe retreat,
Wak'd and watched, to hear the roar
Of breakers on the wind swept shore?
Go forth at morn.—The waves that beat
Still rough and white when blasts are o'er,
May wash all ghastly to thy feet
Some victim of the midnight storm.
From that drench'd garb and pallid form
Shrink not; but fix thy gaze and see
Thy own congenial destiny.
For him, perhaps, an anxious wife
On some far coast o'er-looks the wave;
A child unknown of the strife
Of elements, to whom he gave
His last fond kiss, is at her breast;
The skies are clear, the seas at rest,
Before her, and the hour is night
Of his return—but black the sky
To him, and fierce the hostile main
Have been. He will not come again.

Rhodophne is thus described after the shipwreck, standing on the shore,

Her hands
Still held the golden lyre: her hair
In all its long luxuriance hung,
Unringled, and glittering bright
With bring drops of diamond light:
Her thin wet garments clung
Around her form's rare symmetry.
Like Venus risen from the sea
She seem'd: so beautiful:—

That the author's fancy partakes much of the light and voluptuous spirit of Moore, is proved in the following lines:

The while in one sequestered cave,
Where roses round the entrance wave,
And jasmine sweet, and clustering vine,
With flowers and grapes the arch o'er-
twine,
Anthemion and the nymph recline,
While in the sunny space, before
The cave, a fountain's lucid store
Its chrysal column shoots on high, ting-
And bursts like showery diamonds fast:
So falls, and with melodious dashing
Shakes the small pool.

Many other passages might be quoted of equal brilliancy. Enough, however, has been exhibited to establish the claim of the author to one of the fairest wreaths from Parnassus. That there are faults and blemishes in the performance, there can be no doubt—but they are few and small, compared with the dazzling beauties which every where meet the eye. It is perhaps unfortunate for the morality of the tale, that Anthemion is made to yield to the Syren's love, as described in the 5th and sixth cantos. Nor are the sentiments which sometimes escape the author, to be altogether admired. Thus he seems to mourn that the age of fabulous mythology, when "every vale and grove and stream" was animated with intellectual life, should have passed away—not remembering the polluted orgies of the ancient worship—nor that the beauty of the system is derived entirely from the poetic medium, through which it has been transmitted to us. Neither can that maxim of Greek morality be commended, which the author seems to have adopted, namely, that man's happiest lot is not to be; and if the illusion in the 6th line of the 5th canto is not misunderstood, its chilling and sceptical impiety is sincerely regretted. Upon the whole this poem richly deserves public attention and patronage, and is earnestly recommended to the friends of genius, and of polite and elegant literature. H.

ANECDOTE OF THE SULTAN.
Constantinople, Oct. 20.

As the Sultan was lately walking near the border of the Black Sea, he perceived a country house which had been recently built, and so neat in its style, that he was

desirous of knowing who was the proprietor of it. He was told, that it belonged to an Armenian, professing the christian religion. The Sultan instantly entered and inquired of the owner, how much his superb residence had cost him. The Armenian, fearful of being considered too rich, quickly replied 300 purses. (450,000 francs,) although in reality he had expended upon it more than triple this sum. The Sultan took him at his word, crossed the 300 purses to be paid him, and declared himself proprietor of the house.

The unfortunate Armenian was in despair—but what were his surprise and joy, when he was visited by two boys, who told before him a casket containing 1000 purses, (1,500,000 francs,) with a note containing these words:—"The prophet hath said, that the liar shall be caught in his own snare, and thou hast experienced it—but thy master is too noble to take advantage of thy weakness."

ALEXANDRIA:
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1819.

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT AT WASHINGTON
Thursday, February 18.

Slavery was again the subject of contest in the house of representatives yesterday, till sunset. The bill admitting Missouri into the number of our states passed with Mr. Tallmadge's amendment, which prohibits the introduction of slavesholders into that country. A bill of the same kind, for admitting the Arkansas country into the union, was then taken under consideration by the house in a committee of the whole, when Mr. Taylor moved an amendment of it, similar to that which Mr. Tallmadge carried for Missouri, but with different success—Arkansas being a more southern country, and therefore demanding slavery, and looking moreover at present only for a territorial government—not to be a state. As Messrs. Tallmadge, Livermore, Spencer and Cushman, spoke in favor of the amendment—Messrs. Clay, Robertson, Walker, of North Carolina, Tyler, Hugh Nelson, Storrs, Johnson, of Va. Barbour, of Va. McLane, of Dela. and Kinsey opposed it, and it was lost by 80 to 69.

The committee then took up a bill to the same effect, for the Alabama territory, and both bills were reported together. These questions have not, as some may, and I did, hastily conclude, with the great national point of the slave importing trade, the privilege granted to the new western states to hold slaves may be considered by some as of no other effect than to spread the mass of slavery, now in the old states, over so large an extent of country—in which case it would add to the value and raise the price of those human chattels, and induce more tenderness and humanity in the treatment of them—but this is at least questionable. Miserable as the wretches are in the Carolinas, their condition with the good old gentry of those states is comparatively enviable when placed by that of the unfortunate in Louisiana; of which Arkansas will, we fear, afford a humble specimen. The representations I have heard of the treatment of slaves at New-Orleans, has often rung my heart with pity and inflamed it to indignation. If half only of what I have heard be true, it were humanity to send the wretches, as Carriere did his countrymen, in ships, and sink them in the sea, by skulking, rather than send them within the hot draft of that focus.

It is understood that the new western states are expected to be divided into non-slave holding and slave holding; the one suit the taste and necessities of the northern and eastern emigrants—the other, as a kind of emunctories to the southern—we may therefore look to have in the former industry, orderliness, neatness, prosperity, comfort, prudence, and their adjuncts—in the latter, selfishness, laziness, glowness, wealth, generosity, hospitality and carelessness. *Utrum horum, magis accipit.*

SUPREME COURT.
Tuesday, Feb. 16.

Mr. Justice Story delivered the opinion of the Court in the cases of the ship Calladonian and the brig Langdon Cheves, both of which vessels were condemned.

The Attorney General and Mr. Webster concluded the argument of Gilman against Brown.

Several cases of minor importance were disposed of.

Mr. C. J. Ingersoll opened the case of Depon against Sixe, for the defendant in error, no person appearing as counsel for the plaintiff in error.

(Nat. Int.)

We had occasion the other day to notice a report that Mr. Bagot, the Minister of Great Britain to this country, was about to return home. We find, on enquiry, that this report is true. Mr. Bagot has received from his government permission to visit England, and will depart with his family, some time in April. Mr. Antrobus, Secretary of the Legation, we learn, is to remain here, as Charge des Affaires. Mr. Bagot's departure, it is said, has been delayed some time, by a desire to ratify, before his return home, the Commercial Treaty lately concluded with Great Britain. (Globe)

New-York, February 14.
FROM HIBERNIA.
At this morning, the brig Paragon, Austin, 20 days from Gibraltar. We have received fr. Captain A. the following particulars.

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President's Horse Guards.

On Monday the 22d inst. at 10 o'clock, A. M. you will meet at the usual parade ground in front of the city hotel, dismounted, and in full uniform.

By order of the Captain.

February 18.

Notice.

The members of the Washington Society of Alexandria, are hereby notified that the anniversary meeting of the said Society will be held at Brown's hotel on Monday, the 22d instant, at 10 o'clock. The Society will move in procession, at 12 o'clock, to the First Presbyterian Church, when an oration will be delivered by Richard Henry Lee, esq. one of its members.

By order,
C. P. THOMPSON, Secretary.
February 17

In Council.

February 4th, 1819.

The following persons were appointed commissioners for holding elections in the different wards on Tuesday the 21 day of March next, for members to serve in the common council for the ensuing twelve months, viz:

FIRST WARD,
At A. Rhoda's tavern on Union-street.
Alexander McKenzie,
John T. Brooks,
Reuben Johnston.

SECOND WARD,
At the Council Chamber,
Colin Auld,
Guy Atkinson,
William Bartram.

THIRD WARD,
At Shepherd's tavern, corner of King and St. Joseph streets,
John Roberts,
Adam Lynn,
John Grubb.

FOURTH WARD,
At Joseph C. Girard's, corner of Duke and St. Joseph streets,
Thomas Lawason,
William D. Simms,
Robert L. Taylor.

A copy,
I. P. THOMPSON, C. C.
February 6

Exchange Coffee-House
MARINE JOURNAL.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, Feb. 19.

ARRIVED.

Sloop Francis, Fowler, 17 days from St. Thomas; sugar and molasses, to J. & J. Harper. Capt. Wm. Lowe, of this town, came passenger, with the proceeds of the schooner Tom and cargo, in specie. Left at St. Thomas's 1st inst. schooner Korte, Clackney, of and for Baltimore, 10 days; schooner Serpent, Andrews, of Baltimore, for Portorico, 2 days; schr Mary-Elizabeth, Newcomb, hence, at St. T's 28th Jan. Spoke going into St. T's, schr Perry of Baltimore, 2 days from Portorico—all well. Ship Francis, Hitch, sailed for New Bedford, 21st ult. Markets very dull—flour \$11; colonial produce high and not very plenty. On Monday, spoke ships Fair-Trader, and Thomas, and brig Dore, hence, off Blackstone's Island, proceeding down, with a fair wind—yesterday passed three top-sail schooners, and a sloop, below Indian Head, supposed bound—and same day, saw schooner Eliza-Barker, hence, at ground on Broad Creek flats.

Brig Spartan, Delano, at Boston 10th inst. up for this port.

Schr. Washington, Snow, cl. at Boston, 10th inst. for this port.

Brig Harriet, at Boston 11th inst. up for this port.

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at Tetuan 150 during the last fortnight.
At Tangier 134 during the last fortnight.
A great many villages, together with the
town of Laracha, are stated to be infected.
The deaths at Tunis exceed 100 a day. At
Constantinople from 50 to 60. [Gazette]

President's Horse Guards.
On Monday the 22d inst. at 10 o'clock,
A. M. you will meet on the usual pa-
rade ground in front of the city hotel, dis-
mounted, and in full uniform.
By order of the Captain.
February 14

Notice.
The members of the Washington
Society of Alexandria, are hereby notified
that the anniversary meeting of the
said Society will be held at Brown's hotel
on Monday, the 22d instant, at 10 o'clock.
The Society will move in procession, at 12
o'clock, to the First Presbyterian Church,
when an oration will be delivered by Rich-
ard Henry Lee, esq. one of its members.
By order,
C. P. THOMPSON, Secretary.
February 17

In Council,
February 4th, 1819.
The following persons were appointed
commissioners for holding elections in the
different wards on Tuesday the 2d day of
March next, for members to serve in the
common council for the ensuing twelve
months, viz:

FIRST WARD,
At A. Rhodes's tavern on Union-street.
Alexander McKenzie,
John T. Brooks,
Reuben Johnson.
SECOND WARD,
At the Council Chamber,
Colin Auld,
Guy Atkinson,
William Bartleman.
THIRD WARD,
Shepherd's tavern, corner of King and
St. Asaph streets,
John Roberts,
Adam Lynn,
John Grobb.
FOURTH WARD,
Joseph C. Gird's, corner of Duke and
St. Asaph streets,
Thomas Lawerson,
William D. Simms,
Robert I. Taylor.
A copy,
I. P. THOMPSON, C. C.
February 6

Exchange Coffee-House
MARINE JOURNAL.
PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, Feb. 10.
ARRIVED.
Doop Francis, Fowler, 17 days from St.
Thomas's; sugar and molasses, to J. & J.
per. Capt. Wm. Lowe, of this town.
The passenger, with the proceeds of the
saler Tom and cargo, in specie. Left
St. Thomas's 1st inst. schooner Korte,
key, of and for Baltimore, 10 days;
serpent, Andrews, of Baltimore,
Porto Rico, 2 days; schr Mary Eliza,
Newcomb, hence, ar. at St. T's 26th.
Spoke going into St. T's, schr Perry
altimore, 2 days from Porto Rico—all
Ship Francis, Hinch, sailed for New-
York, 21st ult. Markets very dull—
\$11; colonial produce high and not
plenty. On Monday, spoke ships
Trader, and Thomas, and brig Dove,
off Blackstone's Island, proceeding
with a fair wind—yesterday passed
top-sail schooners, and a sloop, below
Head, supposed bound—and a small
saw schooner Eliza Barker, hence, ar.
and on Broad Creek flats, at Boston 10th
up for this port.
George, Wallace, at Boston, 11th
up for this port.
Laurel, Stephens, at Boston 11th
up for this port.
Atlanta, Rose, at Gibraltar, Jan.
charging.
Do Henry, Rhodes, and Rising Sun
hence, ar. at Providence, 9th inst.

For Sale,
A young Negro woman and three
children. She is a good cook, wash-
woman, and a good housekeeper.
Enquire of the Printer.

Valuable Discovery.
By the Subscriber, and for which he intends
getting a Patent.
A NEW and useful improvement in the
building art, for plaster, rough cast,
mortar or cement, &c. This consists of an
improvement, by adding to common mor-
tar, made of lime and sand, a proportion of
common salt; by which means the mortar
possesses a much greater adhesion, resists
frosts, and in a great measure repels wa-
ter,—by which means buildings, or any
other work that requires mortar or cement,
may be carried on in the most inclement
season of the year without risk or damage
from frosts.—The said mortar by being
mixed with the salt becomes much tougher,
is much longer in drying, and when dry
will become astonishingly hard and dura-
ble. The proportion of salt to the mortar
may be varied; as occasion or the purpose
for which it is intended may require; and
takes a less proportion of lime than is ge-
nerally used in building.
THOMAS K. BEALL.
February 19
Wednesday next is the important day.

Maryland State Lottery,
Containing only 1350 tickets—all of which
will positively be drawn on Wednesday
next.
The highest prizes are:
20,000 Dollars 5000 Dollars
10,000 Dollars 5000 Dollars
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20 prizes of 1000 Dollars, &c.
Application for tickets in the above lot-
tery must be made previous to Wednesday
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mence and complete.
Whitickets, \$100 00 Eighths, \$12 50
Halves, 50 00 Tenths, 10 00
Quarters, 25 00 Sixteenths, 6 25
Fifths, 20 00 Twentieths, 5 00
To be had at
ALLEN'S
Lottery and Exchange Office,
Three doors west of Davis's hotel, Pennsylv-
ania avenue, Washington City.
Orders by mail promptly attended to.
February 19

District of Columbia, to wit:
WHEREAS a libel hath been filed by
George Lake, for himself and oth-
ers, against the sch. Retaliation and all
others concerned; stating that the said sch.
Retaliation, a wreck, lying sunk upon the
point opposite the fish wharf, Alexandria,
Maryland side of the river, being complete-
ly cut through with the ice, and the said
George Lake having, at the request of
Wm. R. Maddox, one of the owners of the
said sch. at great labor and expense, got
up the said sch. and brought her safe to
the wharf at Washington—and whereas the
hon. Wm. Cranch judge of the District
court for the District of Columbia; having
ordered that a special District court for
the trial of the above case be holden at
the Court House in the town of Alexan-
dria, on MONDAY, the eighth day of
March next at 10 o'clock A. M.: This is
therefore to cite and admonish all persons
whatsoever having or pretending to have
any right, title, interest or claim in, and to
the said schooner, Retaliation, to be and
appear at the same time and place aforesaid
before the Judge aforesaid, to shew cause,
if any they have, why a reasonable salvage
should be decreed thereout to the libellant,
and all others entitled.
DANIEL MINOR, D. M. for
TENCH RINGGOLD, M. D. C.
February 18

Valuable Stand
For business of any description
FOR SALE.
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the new three story brick ware-
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Also,
A two story brick dwelling house in
which he now resides, binding on Washing-
ton street, within fifteen feet of the above
premises.
Also,
A garden lot, fenced in on the corner of
Queen and Columbus streets—30 feet on
the former and 100 feet on the latter, with
a stable erected thereon.
AND
1000 acres of land on the waters of Buch-
anon river, in Virginia—the soil reported to
be excellent and heavy timbered. I
will sell it for either cash, merchandise, or
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ISAAC ROBBINS,
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Inn-Keepers Duty.

Taken from Southey's celebrated Poem
of "Mary the maid of the Inn," founded on
fact.
With entire new, and appropriate scenery,
dresses, &c. &c.
Particulars in bills.
Tickets and places to be had at the box
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No postponement on any account what-
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Wanted to Hire.

A NEGRO WOMAN, who is a good
washer, ironer and cook. Apply to
Joseph Rutherford, at his shoe store, lower
end of Prince-st.
Feb 18 31 JOHN HOOFF, Cash'r.

Fish Barrels and Salt.

TWELVE thousand barrels, superior
quality, which will be sold low.
6000 bushels salt, suitable for the fish-
eries.
Cordage and cork for seines, for sale by
Feb 18 31 A. ADAMS,
Central wharf

Houses and Stores.

To Rent.

TWO brick houses and stores at the cor-
ner of King and Henry streets
One brick house and store on King, be-
tween Patrick and Henry streets
Two brick houses on Cameron-street,
near the theatre
One brick house on Royal-street, for
the time of the late occupant, Chas. Tyler.
Inquire of
MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.
N. B. Sunday building lots on Fairfax,
Duke, Prince, Cameron, Pitt, Queen and
Royal streets, for sale or on ground rent.
February 13

Sugar, &c.

LANDING from the brig Union, capt.
J. Williams, from Marblehead, and for
sale by
LAWSON & FOWLE.
150 bags white sugar, superior quality
220 pieces 1st and 2d quality Russia
duck
200 do heavy and light ravens do
200 do white and brown shirtings
4000 lbs salt shelled almonds. Jan 1

Mechanics' Bank Stock.

ONE THOUSAND shares Mechanics'
Bank Stock, for sale on a liberal cre-
dit by
LINDSAY & HILL.
February 15

Shoes and Hats.

I HAVE just received a fresh supply,
consisting of the following kinds—
Ladies' morocco boutees colored
Do walking shoes, black &
Do cork sole do
Do morocco slippers with military heels
Do black and colored
Do kid slippers
Misses' and children's morocco and lea-
Men's calf skin shoes (other shoes
Do thick do; boys' thick and bound do
Men's and boys' low priced hats
Boys' white wool low priced do
2 boxes ladies' fine straw bonnets
All of the above articles are offered for
sale at low prices for cash, or at the usual
time to punctual dealers that purchase by
the quantity. We take this method to in-
form country merchants that we have made
arrangements for a large supply of shoes
for the ensuing spring, and shall be able to
furnish them at the lowest Baltimore and
Philadelphia prices.
February 12

St. Ubes Salt & Lemons.

FOR SALE, the cargo of the schooner
Union, captain Swain, from St. Ubes,
3000 bushels St. Ubes salt
25 boxes lemons
Apply to
LAWSON & FOWLE.

Negroes.

WANTED, a few negroes calculated
for a farm. Young boys and girls
would be preferred. Persons wishing to sell
may find a purchaser at the Indian Queen
Hotel, in Alexandria. February 9

W. & W. Hannum,

CABINET-MAKERS.
RESPECTFULLY inform their friends
and the public in general, that they
still continue to carry on the above business
in all its various branches, at the same old
stand, Royal-st. between King and Prince,
and have now on hand a handsome assort-
ment of cabinet-ware, all of their own ma-
nufacture; consisting of side-boards, secre-
taries and book cases, bureaus, ladies' work
stands, mahogany and stained wood head-
steads, cradles, sofas and easy-chairs, one
handsome mahogany writing desk, &c. &c.
Also, on hand a large quantity of St. Do-
mingo and Bay Mahogany, in log and
boards, and cut to any dimensions at a
short notice—four or five thousand feet of
elegant veneers for bureaus and secretaries,
all of which they are determined to sell low-
er than the same quality can be had in the
district. All kinds of upholstery work
done as usual.
They would rent for one or more years
a very excellent shop and yard for a car-
penter, wheelwright, or blacksmith, situ-
ated on Royal-street, between Prince and
Duke street.
Feb 11

Private Tuition.

THE subscriber has procured a young
gentleman (a graduate of Yale col-
lege) to conduct a private school in his fa-
mily, and would be willing to receive three
or four boarders for the next year. The in-
structor is eminently qualified to teach all
the different branches both of a classical
and mathematical education.
THOMAS TURNER.
Fauquier County, Vir. Nov 30

New Clover Seed, Cheese, &c.

FIFTY bushels fresh warranted Clover
Seed
60 casks Goshen cheese
50 barrels whiskey
40 kegs lard in nice shipping order
35 firkins butter
800 lbs. Tennessee live leathers
5 pipes choice London particular Ma-
deira
Murdock & Co. and March & Co's
brands, which will be sold low by the pipe
or less quantity.
N. B. A general assortment of groceries
as usual.
MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.
February 8

Sugar, Apples, &c.

RECEIVED by the sloop King-Sun,
capt. Smith, from Providence, R. I.
and for sale by
E. CORNING.
Vowell's wharf.
60 lbs brown sugar
5 hds N. E. rum
2 pipes gin
27 bbls cider
50 do apples
70 bushels potatoes
3000 wt codfish Jan 4

Cotton.

TWENTY-TWO bales excellent qua-
lity Georgia Upland—just received
and for sale by
T. H. HOWLAND.
January 4

Hemp and Sugars.

TWENTY tons very superior clear Rus-
sia hemp.
32 barrels Muscovado sugars,
Landing from brig Ventrosa, capt Allen,
from Boston, for sale by
LAWSON & FOWLE.
February 1

Jones's Point.

THE subscriber wishes to let for one sea-
son or more his excellent fishery, or is
willing to work it out on shares.—Applica-
tion to be made to him personally, or writ-
ten particulars left at Mr. George Hill's,
tipstake-worker, Fairfax-street, Alexandria.
He also informs the inhabitants of Alex-
andria, and its neighborhood, that he has
invented a night-bolt to bed rooms, by means
of which the door is bolted or unbolted
without the trouble of rising out of bed.
House bells put up and repaired in the
neatest manner, and on the most reasona-
ble terms. Orders left as above directed,
will be duly attended to.
February 8

Bricklayers and Stone Masons

Wanted.
I WISH to employ for the ensuing season
a number of bricklayers and stone ma-
sons, to whom constant employment and
good wages will be given, at Old Point
Comfort, on Chesapeake Bay. None need
apply but good workmen and men of stea-
dy habits. Apply to the subscriber at old
Point Comfort.
BOLITHA LAWS.
February 6

Mechanics' Bank.

Alexandria, February 5, 1819.
THE stockholders of this bank are here-
by notified that an election will be
held at the Court-house in this place, on
Monday the 8th day of March next, for the
purpose of electing fifteen directors to serve
the ensuing year.
F. H. MINOR,
February 5 Cashier.

Engineer Department.

Washington, January 28, 1819.
PROPOSALS will be received for the
delivery of 4000 casks of Thomaston
lime; 2000 casks at Old Point Comfort,
Chesapeake Bay, in the months of Febru-
ary, March and May; and 2000 at Fort
Washington, on the Potomac, in the months
of March, May, July, September and No-
vember.
W. K. ARMISTEAD,
Lieut. Col. Commandant Engineers.
February 1

NEW CLOVER SEED

RECEIVED this day, and on sale by
T. CRUSE.
Butter in firkins, and whiskey in barrels.
January 29

For Rent.

That large three story fire proof
warehouse, lately built by the sub-
scriber on Thompson's wharf.
Feb 1 31 JACOB MORGAN

To Rent.

That new brick dwelling, pleas-
antly situated on King-street, op-
posite A. C. Casenove's Esq's and
now occupied by S. Harper, Esq.
Also a store and warehouse, with dry, floor-
ed cellars, fitted up for business, at the south
west corner of King and Patrick streets;
and a comfortable frame dwelling house,
with stable and garden, high to the above.
Possession of any of the property may be
had immediately. RICHARD SLADE,
Who having relinquished business, desires
all accounts to be handed for settlement at
his father's counting room. Jan 29

New Livery Stable.

THE subscriber has established, on the
wharf, a stable of horses, and he takes
this method of acquainting the citizens of
Alexandria, particularly those gentlemen
residing on the wharf, that there will be
good saddle horses and carriages always
in constant readiness for those who may
please favor him with their calls.
N. B. Horses will be taken at livery by
the day, week, or month.
W. H. B. STUART,
December 17

Just Received.

BY late arrivals from New-York, Boston
and Portland, a large assortment of
goods, comprising the following articles,
viz:

3 Grecian sofas, good quality
3 small side boards
26 dozen chairs, different kinds
12 bureaus
1 case, up, quality looking glasses
Work and light stands
20 dozen common brooms
10 plated harnesses
Also, by schooner Sing, from Baltimore,
35 logs St. Domingo mahogany
In Store,
25 logs do, and a large assortment of
furniture—For sale by
SAMUEL WARD,
Lower end of Prince-street.
Furniture made and repaired, as
usual.
December 18

Bolting Cloths.

THE subscriber has this day received a
large and elegant assortment of Bol-
ting Cloths, of a superior quality, which
will be offered for sale at the store of
Messrs. Butts & Cawood, King-street,
Alexa., where he intends keeping a com-
plete assortment in future.
Sept 6 AMOS ALEXANDER.

Western Money.

A FEW thousand dollars of Kentucky,
Ohio, and Pennsylvania bank notes
for sale at a liberal discount, well worth the
attention of drovers and others. Apply at
my Exchange Banking House and Broker's
Office, Bridge-street, Georgetown.
December 10 ROMULUS RIGGS.

Winchester and Alexandria

STAGE.
THE Winchester and Alexandria stage,
in future, will stop at the Indian Queen
Tavern, and will leave said tavern on the
same days as before from the City Hotel—
fare as usual.
Also an accommodation stage will leave
the same tavern for Washington & Geor-
getown every day at 10 o'clock A. M. and
return at 4 P. M.—fare seventy-five cents.
N. B. All baggage in either stage will be
at the risk of the owners.
January 1

Notice.

THE partnerships of Patons & Butcher,
John W. Massie & Co. and Ezra Kin-
sey & Co. being dissolved by the decease
of Jno. B. Paton as far as relates to his inter-
est in those concerns, notice is hereby given
to those persons indebted, whose time of
Credit has expired, that payment of their
accounts is required immediately.
WILLIAM PATON,
JOHN W. MASSIE,
EZRA KINSEY.

Barn Landing Fishery.

I WILL rent this excellent fishery, for 5
years or less; application can be made
to me personally or by letter, addressed to
Pohick Church, Fairfax Co. Va. It will be
useless to offer less than 300 dollars, that
sum having already been refused.
GEORGE MASON.
Gunston, October 5

Morning and Evening Stage

THAT certain brick house on Royal street, now occupied by Mr. Charles Tyler—cession to be had the 22nd of December next—for terms enquire of **MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.**
November 3

To Rent.
A convenient BRICK Dwelling house, at the upper end of King-street, suitable for a genteel family. Also two frame dwellings and shops, to which are attached a large and well-fitted up for business.
Apply to **JAMES SANDERSON.**
November 12

Houses for Sale.
The premises on the South east corner of King and Henry streets, containing 2 good dwelling houses, with stores ready fitted up for business.
Also, the brick dwelling house and store near to the former, lately in possession of Dennis M. Lyles, Esq. for whose time therein, the 1st of Feb. next, it may be rented.
All the above property would be sold upon liberal credit, the payment being secured.
Inquire of **MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.**
September 28

Gunston for Sale.
THIS elegant estate is situated on the Potomac, 16 miles below Alexandria—it is bounded on three sides by the Potomac and Potomac creek, and contains nearly 3,000 acres of land, level and fertile, to which are attached six shad and herring fisheries, two of which command the river channel. This land will be laid off in four tracts, so as to have one or more fisheries to each; these tracts will be again divided into lots. This estate is level and beautifully situated, very fertile, and remarkably healthy. Plaster acts with an effect equal to that of any part of Virginia or Pennsylvania. I have used 500 bushels in twelve months, and such is its beneficial operation, that were I to keep this land I should considerably increase the quantity. A manufacturing mill is distant about two miles, on a stream navigable for vessels carrying 1200 bushels of wheat, where the Baltimore and Dist. of Columbia prices are given for grain; being bounded on 3 sides by water, a small extent only of fence is necessary to inclose the whole; it could be admirably adapted to grazing. The improvements are a large and very substantial brick mansion, 40 by 70 feet, with every necessary out-house, three commodious barns, houses for Negroes, and fish houses at each of the fisheries. 120,000 bricks and 1000 bushels of lime are just burnt on the premises. There is a considerable extent of live fence, both useful and ornamental, two orchards of well selected apples and peaches, besides an abundance of other choice fruit. More than 150 acres are in clover, 800 in corn, and land is in preparation for sowing 250 bushels of small grain. Any quantity of hay can be cut from the low grounds, some of which (and all might) have been reclaimed at a trifling expense. The river and creeks, abound with wild fowl, particularly canvas backs, the woods with deer, and a variety of other game. Mules, cattle, highly improved sheep, farming utensils and household furniture can be had. The terms of sale will be accommodating. Property in any of the cities, negroes, bank stock, western lands, or lands near the Ridge, will be taken in payment.—Letters must be addressed to me at Potomac Church, Fairfax county, Virginia.
September 4 **GEORGE MASON.**

Valuable Property for Sale.
THE subscriber is desirous of selling a handsomely situated farm, on Hunting creek, in Fairfax county Virginia, adjoining the Mount Vernon estate and the lands of general Thomson Mason, four miles from Alexandria, containing about 240 acres, 80 of which are in wood—40 to 50 in thriving meadow of clover and timothy—a part of the residue recently seeded with wheat and rye, and clover, last spring—the whole enclosed with a new post and rail fence.—The improvements are, a comfortable and convenient frame dwelling house, and kitchen, smoke house, poultry house, granary and stables.—There is on this place a rich and productive garden, and a large body of marsh meadow, from which may be saved annually 100 tons of hay, nearly as nutritious as the best timothy or clover.—With the farm would be sold a number of very valuable horses, cows and sheep; waggon, carts, and a variety of farming utensils and household and kitchen furniture; corn, oats and rye, and 40 tons hay. Also, adjoining the one above described, a farm containing 180 acres, recently enclosed, on which is a brick house, which a trifling expense would render comfortable. The soil is excellent, and a considerable part might be easily converted into meadow.—it would be sold with the other or separately. Also, a number of valuable servants, male and female. To prevent unnecessary application, he would observe, that they will only be sold to persons residing in the District or its vicinity, and not to be carried from it. The subscriber will also sell the greater part of his household furniture, which is new and handsome. For terms of all or any part of the above property, apply to **NOBLET HERBERT.**
Oct. 3 **FRANCIS ADAMS, Jr.**

Aromatic Snuff.
For Catarrh Headache.

THIS Snuff, as celebrated for its agreeable fragrance as for its efficacy in the cure of recent catarrh and slow nervous headache, is used and approved by the present professor of chemistry in the university of Cambridge, Mass. and by some of the most respectable gentlemen of the faculty in the United States.—It is also particularly recommended by Dr. Waterhouse, late professor of the theory and practice of physic, in the above seminary—whose certificate accompanies each bottle.—Sold by **JAMES KENNEDY & SON,**
Sole Agents for Alexandria.
September 24

District of Columbia.
County of Alexandria, to wit: 1818.
November Term.
IN CHANCERY.
Samuel Smith, Complainant,
Against
Leonard Mudd and John Coghien, Defendants.

THE defendant Leonard Mudd not having entered his appearance to this suit and given security according to the statute and rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, upon affidavit, that the said defendant, Leonard Mudd, is not an inhabitant of this District—on motion of the said complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered that the said defendant, Leonard Mudd, do appear here on the first day of the next Term, and give security for performing the decrees of the court; and that the other defendant, John Coghien, do not pay away, convey or secrete, the debts by him owing to, or the estate or effects in his hands belonging to the said absent defendant, Leonard Mudd, until the further order or decree of this court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of said county.

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Teste, **EDMUND I. LEE, C. C.**
January 25

District of Columbia.
County of Alexandria, to wit: 1818.
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ON the petition of Henry Boswell, a rule is granted him against the representatives of John Webster, deceased, and against Rezin Webster, to show cause, on the first day of the next term, why a piece of ground situated in the town of Alexandria, late the property of William R. Webster, should not be sold, and the money divided among the representatives of the said William Webster, according to law. It is ordered that this rule, as to Rezin Webster, be published in one of the Alexandria newspapers three weeks successively.

A Copy.
Teste, **EDM. I. LEE, C. C.**
January 26

District of Columbia.
County of Alexandria, to wit: 1818.
November Term.

IN CHANCERY.
Philip Triplett and Christopher Neale,
joint merchants and copartners in trade, under the firm of Triplett & Neale, Complainants,
Against
Thomas Vannum, Joseph Miligan, James B. Holmead, John Withers and Reuben Withers, joint merchants and copartners in trade, under the firm of John & Reuben Withers, Robert McCrea and William Gregory, joint merchants and copartners, trading under the firm of Robert McCrea & Co.; Thomas H. Beall, William Cooper, Samuel Lindsay and Laurence Hill, joint merchants and copartners, trading under the firm of Lindsay & Hill; Thomas Janney and John D. Brown, joint merchants and copartners, trading under the firm of Thomas Janney & Co.; Bryan H. Mullin, Bryan Hampton and Robert H. Harrison, joint merchants and copartners in trade, under the firm of Bryan H. Mullin & Co.; Anthony Holmead, John Steffens, John Ingle and Eleazer Lindsay, under the firm of Ingle & Lindsay, Defendants.

THE defendant Thomas H. Beall, not having entered his appearance and given security according to the statute and rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, upon affidavit, that the said defendant, Thomas H. Beall, is not an inhabitant of this District, on motion of the said complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered, that the said defendant, Thomas H. Beall, do appear here on the first day of the next Term, and enter his appearance to the suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of said county.

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To Ship-owners.
MASTERS OF VESSELS & OTHERS.
THE subscriber (late from England) mathematical instrument maker, offers his services to clean and repair all sorts of Ship's Compasses, Quadrants, Sextants, &c. in the best manner, at his house on Prince street, between Pitt and St. Asaph streets.
Oct. 3 **DANIEL MUNRO.**

COOKENDORFER, HIGH CAROLIN, DANIEL CAWOOD, SAMUEL CHESTER, JOHN CORSE AND NATHANIEL ROUSSAVELT, trading under the firm of **Corse & Roussavelt;** **George Coleman, John Coghien, James H. Dulany, Camillus Griffith, Nimrod Farrow, Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, junior, Robert Hall, John Jackson, Alexander Kyle, John McPherson and Daniel McPherson,** late joint merchants and copartners, under the firm of John McPherson & Son; **Daniel McPherson, Charles Moxley, Alexander Moore, Thomas Mount, James R. Riddle,** administrator of Ferdinand Marsteller; **Joseph Mandeville, Joseph Mandeville and Samuel B. Larmour,** joint merchants and copartners, under the firm of Mandeville & Larmour; **Robert Mandeville and James Mandeville,** joint merchants and copartners, under the firm of Robert & James Mandeville; **William N. Mills, Robert A. Mills, Thomas Pickerrill, Craven T. Peyton, Noblet Herbert,** administrator of William Paton, junior; **Thomas Neill, Thomas Olive, James R. Riddle, Nathaniel Roussavelt, Thomas Riddon, Peter Saunders, Daniel Somers, James S. Scott, John A. Stewart, William Smith, Thomas Sommes, Thomson Simpson, Evan P. Taylor, William A. Linton,** executor of William Tyler, Ambrose Vase, Robert N. Windsor, Robert Young, Cave Withers, Richard Wells, the Mechanics' Bank of Alexandria, the Bank of Washington, Bank of the Metropolis, the Patriotic Bank, Central Bank of Georgetown and Washington, Franklin Bank of Baltimore, the Mechanics' Bank of Baltimore, the Bank of Chambersburg, Bank of Waterford, the Bank of Winchester, Defendants.

THE defendants John Anderson, Daniel Annin, Sam'l. Bealle, Edmund Brooke, Thomas Cookendorfer, Daniel Chester, James H. Dulany, Nimrod Farrow, Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, junior, Alexander Kyle, John McPherson, Charles Moxley, Tho's. Pickerrill, Tho's. Neille, Thomas Olive, Thomas Riddon, William Smith, Thomson Simpson, William A. Linton, Richard Wells, the President and Directors of the Franklin Bank of Baltimore, the President and Directors of the Bank of Waterford, and the President and Directors of the Bank of Winchester, not having entered their appearance, and given security according to the statute and rules of this court; and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, upon affidavit, that the said defendants John Anderson, Daniel Annin, Samuel Bealle, Edmund Brooke, Thomas Cookendorfer, Daniel Chester, James H. Dulany, Nimrod Farrow, Robert Getty, Peter Heiskell, J. Hagerty, jun'r. Alexander Kyle, John McPherson, Charles Moxley, Thomas Pickerrill, Thomas Neille, Thomas Olive, Thomas Riddon, Wm. Smith, Thomson Simpson, William A. Linton, Richard Wells, the President and Directors of the Franklin Bank of Baltimore, the President and Directors of the Bank of Waterford, and the President and Directors of the Bank of Winchester, are not inhabitants of this District—on motion of the said complainant, by his counsel, it is ordered that the said absent defendants do appear here on the first day of the next Term, and enter their appearance to this suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the Court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of said county.

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January 23

District of Columbia.
County of Alexandria, to wit: 1818.
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IN CHANCERY.
The Mechanics' Bank of Alexandria, Complainants,
Against
Thomas W. Peyton and William H. Dundass, Defendants.

THE defendant Thomas W. Peyton not having entered his appearance to this suit, and given security according to the statute and rules of this Court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, upon affidavit, that the said defendant Thomas W. Peyton, is not an inhabitant of this District—on motion of the said complainants, by their counsel, it is ordered, that the said defendant, Thomas W. Peyton, do appear here on the first day of the next Term, and enter his appearance to the suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the court; and that the other defendant, William H. Dundass, do not pay away, convey or secrete, the debts by him owing to, or the estate or effects in his hands belonging to the said absent defendant, Thomas W. Peyton, until the further order or decree of this court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published in one of the public newspapers published in this county, for two months successively; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house in said county.

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Mark Butts and Grafton Cawood, joint merchants and copartners in trade, under the firm of Butts & Cawood, Complainants,
Against
Thomas Roberts, William Paton, Jonathan Butcher, and John B. Paton, the three last joint merchants and copartners in trade, under the firm of Paton & Butcher; and Richard Libby, and John Massie & Company, Defendants.

THE defendant Thomas Roberts not having entered his appearance and given security according to the statute and rules of the Court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, upon affidavit, that the said Thomas Roberts is not an inhabitant of this District—on motion of said complainants, by their counsel, it is ordered that the said defendant, Thomas Roberts, do appear here on the first day of the next term, and enter his appearance to the suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the Court; and that the other defendants, Paton & Butcher, Richard Libby, and John Massie & Company, do not pay away, convey or secrete, the debts by them owing to, or the estate or effects in their hands belonging to the said absent defendant, Thomas Roberts, until the further order or decree of this court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published in one of the public newspapers published in this county; and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court-house of said county.

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